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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read as follows:

--IMAGE FIXING DEVICE WITH PHASE CONTROLLED HEATERS--